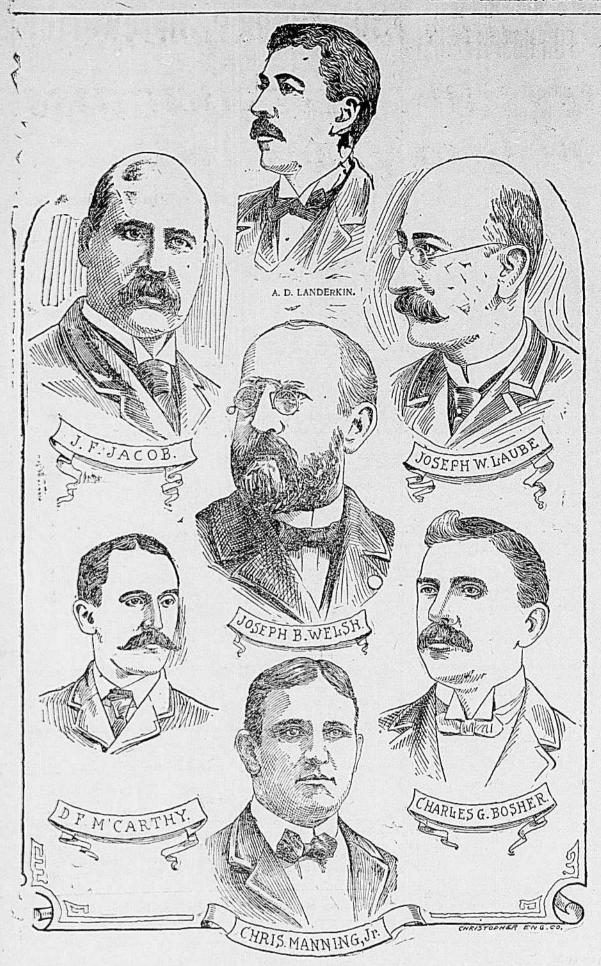
Mulf Hats and Caps from the wholesale. They are a little rumpled, but other-wise in good condi-tion. The former prices were from \$1.25 to \$2.43; your selec-tion of any, 38c each.



### BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

The Board of Police Commissioners, which during the past week held two meetings to consider and act upon the sensational charges brought against Captain J. B. Angle by Acting Sergeant Wyatt, will meet again on next Thursday. It is probable that the general subject of immunity alleged to have been granted gambling places in the Second Police District will be taken up and a therough going investigation inaugurated. If this is not done by the Police Board it will be done by a grand jury.

### Last Liberal Paper Has Offended and is Ordered to Suspend Publication.

(Correspondence of the Associated Press.) ST. PETERSBURG, July 18 .- The progressive terrorization of the Russian press, which characterized the regime of M. Sipiaguin, the Minister of the Interior, who was assassinated last April, appears to have been adopted as a set-tled policy by his successor, M. von

Pichve.

M. Sipiaguin closed the Northern
Courier and the Rossya. After their extinction, the only newspaper in St. Petersburg which maintained an independent attitude toward the ment was the St. Petersburg Viedo an it mosti, an ald journal, which, since it passed into the control of Prince Oukhtomsky, has been characterized by the honorable and straight-forward manner in which it was conducted. That it was not a Liberal new paper according to some notions, need scarcely be emphasized. A Liberal newspaper is absolutely impossible where the censorship is as vigilant and exacting as it is in Russia. Its original news articles were couched in the most matter-of-fact language, and were based scrupulously upon official knowledge scrupulously upon official knowledge. Outside of St. Petersburg and Moscow no article may be published which has not been sanctioned by a government of not been sanctioned by a government of-ficial assigned especially to review its matter. The press of the two capitals is free from this burden, but may be and is called to a strict accounting by the censorship for any matter that may be found objectionable, but it is regu-larly warned against handling certain

Despite this censorship the St. Peters-burg Viedomosti always has been char-acterized by interesting intercepts from the provincial newspapers. It alone, of file browned newspapers. It alone, of sail the St. Petersburg newspapers, has attempted to keep its readers informed about what was going on in the interior of Russia, It now appears that this department of the Viedomosti has become pariment of the Everyment. Minister. eye-sore to the government. Minister sky to him July 12th, and lectured him Severely on his management of the jour-hal, which is leased from the government told the prince that the Vicdomost had become the organ of the liberals and had become revolutionary in its provincial dapartments. He peremptory demanded the immediate dismissal of the editor of the immediate dismissal of the editor of this portion of the paper, and warned him that after two months his lease of the paper, which had several years yet to run, would be cancelled. M. Von Plehve concluded by saying he had seen the Csar on July 5th, and had received His Majesty's permission to take these severe measures. Prince Oukhtomsky had jong enjoyed a great measure of political favor. After he accompanied the Czar,

when heir apparent, on the prince's fa-mous journey around the world, he was made president of the Russo-Chinese bank, and his unrivalled knowledge of China and Chinese affairs has certainly been of great service to the government. It is generally understood that when-ever pressed or threatened by the late minister, Prince Oukhotomsky has been able to say a himself by a presental appeal able to save himself by a personal appeal to the Czar.

### BIG TOBACCO SALES

The Death of the First Locomotive Engineer in That Section.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) GREENSBORO, N. C., August2.—The obacco breaks here to-day were phenomenal. For the past fifteen days small quantities of new tobacco have been com-ing in, but to-day both warehouses were full of new primings. Over one hundred thousand pounds were sold at an average of seven dollars per hundred. The farm-ers were delighted at sales, only one sale of 200 pounds being turned down. Tobacco sold here of the new crop is some-thing new in the Guilford market, and it shows that farmers here are learning o save what they have formerly been throwing away. This tobacco came from Forsyth, Stokes, Alamance, Rockingham and Guilford counties. Warehousemen here were tickled to death to see Mr. Jim Norfleet, of the celebrated Piedmont warehouse in Winston, who had gotten through his sale in time to get here and see things hum. They gave him a royal tobacco welcome, and that is something untellable.

train on the road between Greensboro and Winston, Jacob Hicks, died here toand Winston, Jacob Hicks, died here to-day at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Sitaker. He came here from Chapel Hill two weeks ago and was taken with a fatal malady. Mr. John Hicks, of Goldsboro, arrived last night with his family. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock from West Market Methodist Church, provided all the arrangements can be made by that time.

An interesting thing about the career of the aged engineer was that he learned to read and write after he was sixty years of age. At that time the railroad authorities passed an order making it necessary for employes to be able read and write. Mr. Hicks went to work and was soon possessed of the necessary qualifications.

The gentleman who eloped with Mrs. Nannie Jones, of Danville, Nick Carter, also Tom Hicks, was let out of jail toalso Tom Hicks, was let out of jail to-day. His mother, a widow, came over from Randleman and put up fifty dollars cash for his appearance bond. Sheriff Jordan gave him fifty dollars worth of mixed lecture and advice when he turned him loose. Mrs. Jones did not cut up at all at being left behind. Said she had all at being lett benind. Said she had found out Hicks wasn't what he seemed, "Nick Carter," for instance, and they had been quarrelling ever since Sunday. Some good Samaritan ladies here are getting up a purse to get her out of jall and send her to her people at Danville. The other clopers seem to be doing fairly

Master Arthur Chesterman has returned from Louisa county, where he spent a part of July at "South Crook," the hospitable home of Captain W. B. Pendle-

### LIFE STATIONS OPENED

The Summer Vacations Over and the Crews Return to Duty.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) CHINCOTEAGUE, VA., August 2.-The vacation of the life-saving service crews expired last night at 12 o'clock, and yesterday they were as busy as could be, get-ting ready to leave for their respective stations—Pope's Island, Wallop's Beach and Assateague stations, whose keepers and crews all reside here. They left yesterday afternoon late for their respective points of duty. These stations have as fine a set of men for keepers and crews as any in this whole country, and our people as a unit, glad as they were to

see them on pay, regretted very much to see them leave.

Among the most notable improvements on this island is the new and handsome hotel on the European plan, erected by Major Jones, on Main Street. This is, indeed, a very handsome structure, orna-mented with a glass front, possessing all the modern conveniences. Major Jones is assisted in the management of this hotel by his two sons, Howard and Grover,

The Island Hotel, a large and commodious house, which was unoccupied for a few weeks, has recently been cleansed, renovated and refitted from top to bottom, and is now occupied by William J. Burton, of Wachapreague.

Fire on Board Ship. (By Associated Press.) LONDON, August 2.—When the cargo of the British steamer Anselma de Larrinaga (Captain Stevens), which arrived at Havre July 31st from Galveston, was partly discharged, fire broke out on board and every effort is being made to extin-

## On Your Vacation?

If you are out of town please do not consider yourself further from our store than your near-est postoffice or letter-box! We give prompt and careful attention to all mail orders. If satisfactory references are given, we will be pleased to send you anything in the jewelry line on approval.



Mrs. Lindsay Walker is the guest of Mrs. C. C. Walker, on Park Avenue.

Miss Wood, of Alabama, is the guest Miss Marie Tabb Lightfoot, who has just returned from a trip to Atlantiq . . .

Miss Bertha King, of Brambleton, is visiting her friends, the Misses Jones, in this city.

Dr. H. Ward Randolph, of the Virginia Hospital, left the city on the 27th for the Rawley Springs, where he will spend his vacation.

Mrs. J. M. Thompson is visiting Mrs. D. D. Tuttle, in South Norfolk.

Miss Virginia M. Clark is spending the nold, Waverly, Va. summer at her uncle's, Judge R. W. Ar-

The engagement is announced of Miss Isabel ason Chamberlayne, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C: Chamberlayne, and Mr. J. Minter Cochran, of Charlottesville, the wedding to take place from All Saints' Church in September.

### MONUMENT UNVEILING

New York Regiment Coming from Albany to Dedicate It.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) CULPEPER, VA., Aug. 2 .- It is anticipated that there will be a large attendance here at the unveiling of the splendid monument in the National Cemetery on August 8th at the annual reunion of the "New York State Twentyeighth Regiment, Infantry, First Brigade, First Division, Twelfth Corps, Army of the Potomac."

The monument will be unveiled at 4 o'clock P. M.

The following is the official programme printed in Buffalo, N. Y.:

First day, Friday, August 8-1:30 P. M.-Meeting of the Monument Commit-tee in the National Cemetery near the

2 P. M.—Annual business meeting of the association in the cemetery, when the election of officers and the transaction of the usual business will be held.

4 P. M.-Dedication of the new monument. Address of welcome, Colonel E. F. Brown, New York city. Prayer, Rev. W. T. Williams, Culpeper, Va. Oration, Hon. William Britt Brown, Dayton, Ohio. Poem, General Horatio C. King, Brook-lyn, N. Y. Presentation of monument to United States, S. S. Marrin, Philade: to United States, S. S. Marrin, Philadelphia, Pa. Acceptance by War Department, Colonel T. E. True, U. S. A.,
Washington, D. C. Benediction, Rev.
W. T. Williams, Culpeper, Va.
8 P. M.—"Camp fire" and reception at
Opera House, presided over by Major
Daniel A. Grimsley, of Culpeper, Va.
Address by Aldear Bell, mayor of Culpeper, and by others.

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Second day, August 9-0, A. M.—A-ride to the battlefield. A large attend-ance of Union and Confederate veterans is expected.

Public exercises will be held in a groy

runic exercises will be held in a grove in the field. Addresses will be made by Captain C. M. Blackford, of Lynchburg. Va., formerly of General Jackson's staff, and others. A special train will be run from Buffalo, N. Y., to Culpeper.

(COMMUNICATED.) THE JAMES RIVER IMPROVEMENT

A Letter From Chairman W. H. Curtis to Hon. John Lamb With Reverence

Richmond Va., July 24th, 1902. Hon. John Lamb, City.

My Dear Sir:-I have noticed with great surprise that an effort is being made to deny to you the credit which is so justly your due for youd splendid and effective work in aid of the appropriation by Cengress for the James River improvement I have been chairman of that commit tee during the last two terms of your service in Congress, and as such I have een in constant touch and conference with you, and can therefore speak o the matter with the fullest knowledge.

I do not hesitate to say that nobody could have been more active, diligent, and untiring than you have been, as the results have shown, nobody have been more successful under all the circumstances. I remember the effective and satisfactory way in which you helpe our committee when we visited Washing-ton to invite the Congressional Commit-tee on Rivers and Harbors to visit us and go down the river on the tour inspection. Our success in that effort was undoubtedly due in large measure to your intelligent and tactful work and

management.

The point for which the James Rive Improvement Committee had been work-ing for years was to secure from Congress the recognition of the harbor as Richmond as a proper object of its appropriations; in other words, we wanted the work for which appropriations were made to include improvements within the limits of the city and up to the head of navigation. When the last bill was be-fore the House of Representatives the question of the advisability of your offering an amendment providing for this feature (harbor improvements) was a matter of discussion and consideration between us. You were of opinion that you could succeed in having such an amend ment passed by the House, but after going over the whole ground, it was de-termined (for reasons which need not be repeated here) that ultimate success would be more likely if that amendment were made by the Senate; we thought that our chances would be better in the conference committee if the matter came upin that way. The amendment was offered in the Senate by Senator Martin and was adopted, and we won subsequently in the conference committee where again your efforts and influence

were conspicious.

Under the circumstances, the effort to deprive you of your part of the credit for untiring and successful work for your district in this matter arouses my indignation, as I am sure it will that of all fair and just men.

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In saying this to you, I do not forget, nor in the least undervalue, the excellent and effective work of Senator Martin in this same matter; both you and I know how well he worked and neither of us could be induced to take from him any credit to which he is entitled, for that would be as grossly unjust and wrong as is the effort to take from you

wrong as is the entrict to take from you what is justly yours.

I heartily and earnestly wish to see you returned to Congress, and I am doing all in my power to help you. In my judgment, the district has never been more ment, the district has never been more ably and efficiently represented, and every thoughtful man knows that your success in a Congress politically opposed to you has been really remarkable.

I am, yours very truly,

W. H. CURTIS,

Chairman of Committee James River

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# A Week of Sensational Reductions

Our Waist Stock of 1.000 Garments

Now 1/2 Price.

Not a mere cut in prices but a thorough sundering of all profits—a leavetaking of all summer goods and quotations below cos, are now held out to you. Judge for yourselves the remarkable bargains at present figures, and remember the quality and style are equal to the best found in the city.

Summer Waists—Up to Date—Best Made

At 42c Waists, of dimity, gingham or lawn, both white and colored; some are plaited back and front, others tucked all over; the

At 88c Lawn, Chambray or Madras Waists, in the best patterns of the season, some trimmed with insertions and lace; the former

At \$1.25 White Lawn and Corded Mull Waists, in three styles, trimmed in Swiss embroidered and hemstitched tucks, tucked back and front with insertion and tucks new cuffs and collar; the former prices

At \$1.98—Lawn Waists, in THREE styles, front of blouse embroid-ered with fine tucks between, tucked back and hemstitched cuffs, button down back. Other style with bias front and plait, made of four rows of Swiss embroidery, cluster of tucks yoke and back, with insertion in collar and cuffs, button down front, also madras waist, in blue and white stripes with wide tucks down front to form yoke, pointed cuffs and collar Former prices \$3.25 and \$2.98.

At \$2.98 Ladies' All-Over Embroidered Waist, with cluster tucked round yoke and back, tucked sleeves with Swiss edge cuff. button down back; former price, \$4.95.

At \$3.98 Imported Shantung Silk Waists, in natural Pongee color, made with broad plaits, turnover hemstitched collar and cuffs, and trimmed in brass buttons; former price, \$5.50.

### Summer Wrappers

That Sheds the Light of Intrinsic Value.

It's a generously assorted line of Ladies' Percale and Lawn Wrappers, in many pretty colors, and black and white. Some are trimmed with lace and ribbon and deep ruffles at foot, others are neatly trimmed with braid. All are being sold regardless of worth at

59c, 75c and up to \$2.69.

The regular prices were from \$1.00 to \$5.00.

## All Our Summer Skirts

They are in both Ladies' and Misses' sizes, of chambray, duck and crash. Some are trimmed with bias bands and braid, some tucked with deep flounces, some have small flounces piped with white, and some are trimmed with insertion and lace; the popular colors are in the lot, such as linen, navy, light blue, gray, rose and black and white.

The \$1.00 grade of Misses' now 69c. \$1.25 Ladies' lengths now 88c. \$1.75 now \$1.25, \$2.25 now \$1.69.

# Kaufmann & Co., Fourth and Broad Streets.

Silk and Wooien Shawls

for evening wear. During these cool nights a light,

warm wrap is most accept-able, and these are especi-ally so, for they are easily carried. Prices—

\$1.50, \$1.88, \$2.25, \$2.98

Great Comedian to Assay the Shakespearean Role Again.

VAUDEVILLE AT THE CASINO

The Raymond and Caverly Company, a Strong Organization of Specialty People, to Be Seen Here. Gossip of the Stage.

Nat Goodwin is to appear in another circus production. This time he is to play Bottom in / "A Midsummer Night's Dream," Mr. Goodwin has won the approval of the theatre-going public as a comedian, and it is a pity that he allows his ambition to impersonate Shakespearean characters-and incidentally to grab the great American dollar-to place him in a ridiculous position. No one will take Nat Goodwin seriously in any attempt to become an actor in the Shakespearean drama. His departure from well worn paths is one of those freakish tricks of which numbers of his profession are sometimes guilty.

Goodwin, in hi simpersonation of Shylock, did receive serious consideration Shylock, did receive serious consideration in some quarters, but his success, artistically, in the Merchant of Venice does not justify him in again foisting himself upon an indulgent public as a Shakes-

pearean actor.

It is true that Mr. Goodwin gives his It is true that Mr. Goodwin gives his audience a "production" for the money they pay to witness his performance. He surrounds himself with a strong company and makes a stage display that from a scenic standpoint is gorgeous. The American people will stand a good deal for the sake of spectacular effects, but it is to be hoved that they will set the stamp the sake of spectacular effects, but it is to be hoped that they will set the stamp of their "disapproval" upon the actor, who having justly won fame and not a few of the public's dollars, seeks to gratify his varity and whims, and at the same time reap a harvest, by making a clown of

Manager Wells announces an entertain-Manager Wells announces an entertainment for the Casino for this week that gives promises of being the most interesting and refreshing of its kind that has been seen here at summer prices. This attraction is the Raymond and Caverly Company, engaged and organized in New York to play the Wells park circuit and to return East to go over another circuit closing the season with a flash and cuit, closing the season with a flash and The bill is composed of a number of fea-

tures, all of which are recognized as successful. The programme has been put together that there is a pleasing variety and not the slightest conflict. Threadonly the brightest and best obtainable tal-ent has been offered. There is hardly any number on the bill that will fall to give satisfaction, and as a whole it gives the promise of being the kind of attraction that will play to the capacity of the Casino all week.

The feature of the show is the act from

The feature of the show is the act from which it gets its title—Raymond and Cavcrly—and aside from this number there will be five others of equal strength, all new, original and containing more or less individual magnetism, giving the assurance that at most any time from the rise of the curtain until the closing number is on a parten will certainly get the ber is on, a patron will certainly get the value of the price paid for admission at he summer scale. Until recently the comedians have been

playing the Weber and Field parts in "Fiddle-Dee-Dee" in the West, and will

at the opening of the season, rejoin that corrpany. The Navette Sisters, dainty girls and chic, too, will be another of the features. The Misses Navette belong to one of the big musical comedy productions now on vacation, and they are breaking in new ideas for the coming season, playing this special engagement. They promise to become great favorites with the theatre-goers during their stay here. Harry Barton, a comedian with an original idea, will offer a novelty. Usuoriginal idea, will offer a novelty. Usually a musical act is made up of two or three, or sometimes four persons, but Farton does a musical act alone. He plays on a number of different instruments and makes merry with jokes that have not dried up with age. Kelley and Reno, in an acrobatic comedy number, promise to be interesting, and DeForrest and Ward, comedians, who disguise them-seives with burnt cork, will make a good inopression in an act of song and dance. The reserved seat sale is on at Branch R. Allen's.

Al. G. Field, the well known minstrel manager, having done a great deal for Columbus, O., his friends thought him an available candidate for Mayor, and there is a movement on foot amongst his Democratic friends to press his candidacy for the office next spring. Mr. Field has a great deal of executive ability, and f nominated will make a hard fight for

May Irwin has returned from abroad. and once more announces her permanent retirement from the stage. Miss Irwin says she is now a private citizen, and therefore declines to be interviewed.

Annie Oakley, the woman sharpshooter, formerly with Buffalo Bill's Wild West, s to star next season in a melodrama. entitled "The Western Girl." The play will give her opportunities to exhibit her skill with firearms. One scene of the play will require her to intercept a tele-graphic message by cutting the wire with graphic message a ball from her rifle. Walter Whiteside's repertoire this sea-

son will consist of four plays, "Hamlet,"
"The Merchant of Venice," "Richard
III.," and a new romatic play, "In Days of Old When Knights Were Bold."

Forecasts of next season are finding their way into print here and there, now that next season's attractions are generally known. The Washington Post, which is sane and conservative in its views of stage matters, finds little promise in the outlook. Victor Herbert and Harry B. Smith have

been commissioned by Miss Nielsen's new management to write the comic opera in which her reappearance on this side of the water is to be made. Mr. Herbert and Mr. Smith are the authors of "The Singing Girl," and "The Fortune Teller," in both of which Miss Nielsen won decided successes in this city. Viola Allen expects to sail for New

York August 6th. She is at present still in Rome with Mr. and Mrs. Hall Caine. gathering "atmosphere" for the coming production of "The Eternal City. " Miss Allen's mother, Mrs. C. Leslie Allen, and her brother, Paul Allen, are also with her. While in Rome, George C. Tyler, representing Leibler & Company and not the slightest continct. Inread- Tyler, representing Leibler & Company, bare numbers have been cast aside, and made contracts with costumers of that only the brightest and best obtainable tal- city for many of the costumes for the made contracts with costumers of that production of the Hall Caine play.

## Ice Misslon.

Through the kindness of friends much comfort has been given through the ice fund receipts since July 19th, as follows: Box at Station A......\$ 4 40 'Cash'' ..... 

contributions until the coof weather of Geteber comes. During Mrs. Bagby's absence the Ice Mission will be in charge of Mrs. Charles E. Bolling, No. 902 West Grace Street.

Removal of the Friars. (By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 2-The War Department has received no in-War Department has received no in-formation to confirm the report from Rome that the Spanish friars in Manils are to be removed, but it is stated that such a course would be in furtherance of the plan of Secretary Foot, which was presented at the Vaticen by Gov-ernor Tatt. It also stated if such action ernor Taft. It also stated if such action is taken, it would greatly simplify the negotiations which will be renewed at Manila between the church authorities and the Philipping coverage.

SPECIAL EXCURSION TO NIAGARA

and the Philippine government.

Via R., F. & P. R. R. and Connections

The Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad will sell special excursion tockets to Niagara Falls, N. Y., at rate more, as follows: of \$13.50 for the round trip from Rich-

For excursions via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, leaving Washington 8:50 A. M. July 3d and 17th, August 3d and 16th, Sep-tember 25th and October 9th, and 5:05 P. M. August 30th, and for Pennsylvania, Haliroad trains leaving Washington 8:00 A. M. July 24th, August 7th and 21st, sep-tember 4th and 18th and October 2d and

For tickets and full information, apply to ticket agents, Byrd Street, Elba and Main Street Stations, or Richmond Transfer Company, No. 903 East Main Street, Jefferson Hotel and Murphy's Hotel, W. P. TAYLOR, Traffic Manager.

Gosh-all-hem-locks, Malinda, I jest read in the paper that the Royal Arcanum. Shock Council, No. 895, was goin' to excursionize to Dutch Gap August 7 on the steamer Pocahontas, Gantlemen 50c, Ladies, 25c. Members free. Am I goin'? Well, I should conjaculate. Tickets at Still's agency.

HOW ABOUT YOUR GROCERIES? Granulated Sugar, 4 1-2 cts. per pound; best quality Chipped Beef, 9 cts., or 3 cans 25 cts.; large juicy Lemons, per doz. 10 cts.; Celluloid Starch, per package, cts.; quart jars German Mustard, 10 cts.; 3 pounds home-made Jelly, 10 cts.; large canned Table Peaches, per can, 9 cts. canned Table Peaches, per can, 9 cts.;
3 bars best grade Witch Hazel Soap, per
box, 10 cts.; best Irish Potatoes, per
package, 15 cts.; 6 pounds Lump Starch,
25 cts.; nice Bolagna Sausage, 7 cts, per
pound; Ginger Snaps or Soda Crackers,
per pound, 4½ cts.; good Sait Pork, 10
cts. per pound; good Lard, 9 12 cts. per
pound; Grape Nuts or Postum Cereal,
per package, 12 cts.; best Cream Cheese,
2 pounds for 25 cts.; best Virginia Comb
Honey, in 1-pound prints, 15 cts.; best Honey, in 1-pound prints, 15 cts : best Honey, in 1-pound prints, in cts.; dest Switzer Cheese, per pound. 20 cts.; good Rice, 5 cts. per pound. fresh mix4! Spices, for pickling, per pound. 20 cts.; large Sour Pickles, per gallon, 20 cts.; large bottle Ammonia, per bottle, 5 cts. Vege-tables always on hand.

S. ULLMAN'S SON,

Did you ever see a bird whip-poor-Will? No, but I'm going on August 7th with the Royal Arcanum, Shock Council, No. 895, to Dutch Gap and watch the hatchway. Tickets at Still's agency.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Be Bears the

Who? The Roy. What? Excursion. Council No. S05. What? Excursion. Where? Dutch Gap. How? Steamer Pocahontus. Why for? Pleasure and plenty of it. When? August 7th. How much? 50c. and 25 oints. Members from Tickets at Julie 1884.

The Royal Arcanum Shockos